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CURRENT TOPICS.

The News in Brief.

THE British Government, on the 20th, ordered a discontinuance of the reinforce-

\$20,000 to supply a deficiency in the Government printing office.

of eptum into the United States is con-ducted by a syndicate organized for the perpose, with a capital of \$5,000,000.

20th, granted another reprieve for sixty days to Firimino Papago, the Indian whose execution at Tucson was fixed for

Mr. TROUP, the transport officer of the Stanley experition, says that there was not a single Saider rifle nor any ammunition for Vat kind of a rifle in the whole caravan when it left Vambuga.

A SOMENTION of South Dakota Demoer ats met at Mitchell, on the 29th, to urge apon Cong ess the early admission of the South half of the Territory to Statehood, under the Sioux Falls Constitution.

It is said in the lobby of the British

House of Commons, and is quite generally believed, that Mr. William Henry Smith has made his last appearance in the House as the leader of the government party. PROF. BRICE's new book, "The Ameri-

can Commonwealth," is highly spoken of by English critics, and has even been likcoed in importance to De Tocqueville's great work on "Democracy in America." MEMORIAL services for the late General

Philip H. Sheridan were held in Tremont Temple, on the 18th, under the auspices of the city of Boston. They were very simplc. General F. A. Walker delivered the

THE Secretary of the Treasury has granted Surgeon-General Hamilton of the Marine Hospital Service leave of absence for sixty days from January 1, 1889, which period that officer will spend in

THE Treasury Department officials were again excited, on the 21st, over the return of several twenty-dollar National bank notes that were supposed to have been previously redeemed, canceled and de-A GATHERING of 160 millers, represent-

ing the largest milling concerns in the Se hwest, Northwest and Southeast, met o stilwaukee, Wis., on the 18th, for the purpose of considering measures to lower the present output of flour.

MR. GLADSTONE started from London for Italy on the 19th. His arrival at Dover was greeted by thousands of his admirers, who cheered him enthusiastically. The channel was rough during the voyage and a her vy fog prevailed.

perators in the Hocking, have formed a pool to regulate the output and selling price of coal for the coming year. The pool controls about two-thirds ing the rank of Major-General. of the output of the State.

THE New York Journal says that George Crouch, who was once on terms of intimacy with Jay Gould, is about to publish a book on "Gould and Gouldism," which the author claims, will make Mr. Gould

Tue National Exposition at Augusta, Ga., closed on the 18th. The valedictory was delivered by General C. A. Evans, and the response by Lester E. Hickok, of Boston. There was a grand pyrotechnic display and much enthusiasm.

MR. HOAR presented to the Senate, on the 20th, a petition signed by 3,228 citizens of Massachusetts, praying the adoption of a constitutional amendment to prevent the interference of any religious sect with the system of public schools.

WHOLESALE discharges of conductors by the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad Company between Albuquerque, N. M., and Mojave, Cal., have recently been made. Fifty conductors, of both passenger and freight trains, have been dismissed.

GENERAL BENJ. A. BRUCE, one of the framers of the present Constitution of New York, formerly Inspector-General, Canal Commissioner and member of the Assembly, died on the 21st, at his home in

Canastota, N. Y., aged seventy-six years. It is stated that a huge syndicate, controling a capital of \$8,000,000, has been formed by Henry Villard to buy up and operate a large list of electrical patents, stock-ticker service, and Edison electric lighting and other inven-

Ax extensive religious revival is going on among the colored people of Jeffersonville, Ind., conducted by a white lad seventeen years old, named Harvey Smith. The boy is an eloquent speaker, and professes to cure diseases by faith and the leving on of hands.

South DAKOTA is strongly opposed to the plan outlined by Congressman per for its admission. The people have had a Constitution for three years, and are ready to enter the Union without going through the work of framing auother organic instrument.

THE President, on the 21st, pardoned Benjamin Hopkins (in the Ohio State prison for embezzing funds from the Fidelity National Bank of Cincinnati) in order, as he he alleged, that he might spend his few remaining days and die among his friends at home.

Tag Industrial and Commercial Cocrative Society of St. Petersburg, of which General Ignatioff is president, has appealed to the Russian Government to ratiway from Petrovsk to Vladikavkas in deserted by the rebels. The loss of the the interest of trade with Persia.

DR. JAMES E. REEVES, of Chattanooga, Tenn., one of the most noted experts with the microscope in the country, who has been searching for yellow-fever germs in livers and kidneys taken from several yellow-fever patients, announced, on the 21-1, that he has discovered them.

THE Chief of the Secret Service division of the Treasury Department, in his annual teport, says that the representative value of counterfeit money captured during the year was \$2,117,230, of which over \$2,000,-600 were imitations and fac similes of erected about a century ago, notes. There also were captured St plates.

Six men were killed by locomotives. counterfeiting paraphernalia.

FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

Is the Senate, on the 17th, bills to establish a comage mint at Denrin, Col., and to forwall arms to the State of Gregon, were favorably re-ported. Mr. Holdieberger space to his resolucon to reorganize the Senate after the ist of January, which called forth enron ums of the ment of the Mediterranean stations.

The ways and means committee, on the Bull was then taken up and occupied the remainder of the day's session. After a short secret session, the Senate at journed... In the House, it was agreed to take up the Sou h Dakota bill and make it a special It is said that the persistent smuggling order for the 18th and socceeding days until disposed by a syndicate organized for the perpose, with a capital of \$5,000,000.

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In the Senate, on the 18th, much time was o of the discussion of the question as to whether to hold evening sessions. The Tarif bill was then taken up, and occupied the remainder of the open session, during which three pages of the bill were considered in detail. A short secret session was held for the considera-tion of executive business, and the Senate, at 5-35 p. m. adjourned. In the House, Mr. Henderson made a motion to increase the clerical force of the Civil-Service Commission, which gave rise to a long political debate, in which the State of Indiana came in for a full share of attention. The reading of the bill was concluded, and the committee having risen, the

Is the Senate, on the 19th, House bull to in Enwis Booth, Lawrence Barrett and Joseph Jefferson have joined in the movement of American actors against the imperiation of foreign actors to America trader contract to play in this country.

It is said in the lobby of the British cupied the hours, with the exception of a short exception of a short exception of a short exceptive session, until adjournment. In the H use the conference report on the bill to retire General A. J. Smith, with the rank of Colonel of cavelry was agreed to. Consideration of a bill reported from the committee on accounts, authorizing the appointment of cirks to Senators and Representatives not charment countries. charmen of committees, was refused, and the

remainder of the session was to ten up in the consideration of appropr ation bills. Is the Senate, on the 19th, a resolution for the adjournment of Congress from December 21 to January 2 was agreed to. By unanimous consent it was agreed that voting on the Tarifi bill and amendments shall begin at 1 p. m. January 21. The Tarifi bill was briefly consid-ered...... In the House, the adjournment reso-lution was passed, and consideration of the River and Hartor bill was resumed. The read-ing of the bill by paragraphs having been en-tered upon, the committee rose, and the House, at five o'clock, adjourned,

Is the Senate, on the 21st, the Public Print ing Deficiency nil, appropriating \$6,000 for printing and \$5,000 for observations of the eclipse of the sun on the 1st of January, was passed. A resolution was agreed to calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for a statement of bond purchases since March 4, 1881. Consid-eration of the Treasury. eration of the Tarof ball was then resumed on the cotton-manufacturing schedule. Several bills of minor importance were taken from the calendar and passe 1, and the Senate, after a cannoar and passet, and the senate, after a brief executive session, at five o'clock ad-journed until January 2. In the House, a re-olution was adopted asking the President for information touching infairs in Madagusear. The House then, in committee of the whole, took up the Nicaraguan Canal bill, considera-tion of which was completed, and the till re-ported to the House, after which adjournment for the holidays was taken.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL

enty-nine, of heart t Sunday Creek and Shawnee (O.) valleys, plicated by other discusses. He was born surance, in Philadelphia in 1800 and served in the Ox the 20th, five prisoners confined in

son while the latter was defending his are murderers and highwaymen.

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Tug recent storm along the Pacific diamonal bracelet, valued at 8400, from a

James river, off White Shoal Light-house, and Captain II mry Beaman and the cook, a colored boy, named Bidley, were

Mich., were burned on the night of the |va. on the Arawimi, as reported." The loss will reach \$9,000,

two and a son each of the other four, com- the night of the 22d. prising a party on route from Boucherville to Montreal, Can,, with loaded teams

of Queen's Bench, London, of three suits arrested later in the day, brought against Thomas Axworthy the Mas, John Store, residing near Albion. defaulting ex-city treasurer of Cleveland, In., who had her husband arrested on the O., the defendant agreed to pay over the 30th for beating her and then sued court sanctioned this arrangement. Russia has protested against Persia

granting a monopoly of commerce to any foreign power. cretary of State sent to the Sen-

of the vote for presidential electors in Vermont, New Hampshire, Delaware, Connecticut, Oregon and Kentucky. THE Cumberland mine, the most valua-

able mining property in Castle County. Mont., was seized Tuesday by the sheriff on a writ of attachment for \$29,500. The total liabilities of the company are about \$70,0000, but the mine is of much greater

THE tug H. F. Morse, with the dismantled steamer Governor Ames in tow, made the port of Chatham, Mass., on the 20th. In the British House of Commons, or the 20th, Hon. Edward Stanhope, Secretary of War, denied that the Honorable Artillery Company's warrant had been

A necesive battle was fought at Suakim, Egypt, on the 20th. After half an hour's brilliant fighting, in which the black regiments distinguished themselves, the enemy were driven from their redoubts and trenches, completely routed. The gin immediately the construction of a British forces encamped in the positions

loss of the enemy is stated at 40%. Cincinnati Centennial Exposition are to be sent to the Paris Exposition. By her will, which was probated in New

York City, on the 20th, Alice Hasting, the actress, provides that after the payment of all her just debts and expenses the residue of her estate shall be given to her dear friend, Rollin Reed,

THE Warren House at Warrensburgh N. Y., a well-known summer resort, was burned on the 20th. Loss, \$6,000. It was

40 dies, 10 molds and a large quantity of and near Wheeling, W. Va., between the 1 16th and 20th.

EDWARD MEREDITH, who planned the bodger game" in which Phil Daly was marderously assaulted in a New York City flat recently, pleaded guilty, on the 25th, and was sentenced to eight years and ten months in State prison. Henry

Hermann, his accomplice, got six years and eleven months. REFEREING to the disbandment of the Honorable Artillery Company, the London Standard says: "Somebody has blundered. The country waits with a feeling of surprise for an explanation of the rea-

ons for such extreme measures." The steamers Chateau Lafitte, from Breslau, and Lahn, from Bremen, were delayed at Quarantine, N. Y., on the 21st, with small-pox among the steerage pas-

Lond Salisbury spoke at a meeting at Scarborough, England, on the 20th. He dwelt upon the progress that the Liberal-Unionists were making, and congratulated them. He also referred to the impossi-bility of a reunion of Mr. Gladstone's fol-

Peririous numerously signed by printand engravers were, on the 21st, presented to the House of Representatives ofesting against the passage of the ending International Copyright bill.
Senator Chandler introduced in the Senate, on the 21st, a bill for the protec-tection of the elective franchise. Its pro-

visions are similar to those of the bill introduced in the House by Representative Howard, of Indiana.

Five white men and two negroes were arrested in Haralson County, Ga., on the 21st, for the murder of Adam Golden, a colored man who was brained with

fence-rail white defending a belpless woman from a mob. Tue President, on the 21st, recognized Pedro Vicente Mijares as Consul-General

of Venezuela at New York. Mayor Hewitt, of New York declined a public farewell banquet at Delmonico's, tendered by admiring friends to mark his retirement to office.

The race war which was inaugurated by

the whites of Baruwall County, S. C., to avenge the taking off of Farmer Robert Morris, was averted by the discovery, on the 21st, of the body of the missing man in the woods, dead drunk. Captain Wisharr, special agent of the Pittsburgh (Pa.) Law and Order Society, was assaulted on the street and knocked

known ruffian.
The Scranton (Pa.) Match Factory, partly insured. Seventy-five hands are thrown out of employment. A COUNTER-ORGANIZATION is being

down, on the night of the 20th, by an un-

formed in Titusville, Pa., to offset the White Caps there and to protect lawabiding citizens Ir has been discovered that the Western Union Telegraph Company has been de-franded out of large sums of money by

the employes of the Boston office. THE report of the referee in the suit of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad handholders to recover unpaid interest on coupons of bonds of Fiscal in factor of the plaintiffs, compels the road to pay out

The propeler Lake Ontario, which was GENERAL CHARLES G. DANLEGREN died sor, Ont., was burned at Charlotte, N. Y., on the morning of the 18th, in Brooklyn, on the 21st. The fire originated from a

Confederate army during the war, reach- the Port Townsend (W. T.) jail overpow ered Thos. Huller, the tailer, gagged him, Jonx Myras Donrae's was houged in took his keys and pistol, opened the doors the jail at Hackenseck, N. J., on the 19th, and field. They left Haller and one trusty for the murder of his ametecu-year-sold prisoner field in a cell. The escaped men

const from Cape Mendicino to Cape Flat- Baffalo (N. Y.) jewelry store on the 20th tery is reported by captains of coasters to Parties answering to their description During the heavy squall, on the night of True Bland True at Cleveland, O the 18th, the oysier schooner Charles Austrian and German subjects were ex-Owens, of Portsmouth, Va., experized in the pelled from Warsaw, Russian Poland, repeled from Warsaw, Russian Poland, recently without any reason being assigned.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

Hox, John S. Mongan, county indige of The London Sombry Times of the 23d, Monroe County, N. V., died at his resisted of which Hatton, Stanley's intitimate dence in Rochester, on the 19th, aged briefly it is the editor, says; "We have referry-one years, after an illness of two beived dispatches from two reliable weeks' duration. His wife and two young sources which enable us to state almost children survive him,
Thit Capital Flouring Mills at Lausing, Bangale, on the Congo, and not at Bonalabsolutely that Stanley has arrived at

COLONEL JAMES F. CASEY, Mrs. Grant's Six farmers, together with the wives of brother-in-law, died in Washington on EZRA TEETZEL, of Vassar, Mich., was

shot and instantly killed at West Bay of Christmas supplies, were lost in the City, on the 22d, by a negro-named Peter breaking up of the ice in the river on the Satinders, with whom he had a difficulty. Sth. Saunders was stabled and otherwise in-Ix the hearing, on the 19th, in the Court jured. The murderer escaped, but was

sum of \$100,000, and to surrender his for divorce, drowned herself in the river property in America to settle the actions, on the night of the 22d. She was the mother of six children.
THE magnificent Lower Mississippi steamer Kate Adams, plying between Memphis, Tenn., and Arkansas City, Ark.,

was burned on the morning of the 23d near ate, on the 20th, certificates of the result Commerce, Miss. Thirty-two people lost Five Columbia College students were arrested for creating a disturbance at the Bijon (New York City) Theater on the

23d. They were subsequently fined \$10 European state men generally take a floomy view of the political outlook, in flew of the erratic course of the German Emperor, which it is feared may precipgeneral hostilities at any moment. MR. GLADSTONE received a tremendous cation upon his arrival at Naples, Italy, a the 231. He was presented with an ddress of welcome by a deputation of

x-Premier of England as a friend of died at the residence of Sir Grant Duff, at Twickenham, England, His end was enceful, and painless, though for five months he had suffered excruciating pain from the caucer on the lungs which doubly caused his death.

undents, whose spokesman alluded to the

The difficulty between the United State- and Harti over the latter's seizure of the American vessel Haytien Republic is ended. The Haytien Republic has been formally delivered to the American ups at the same time saluting the Amer-

THE immicipal authorities at Batoum, Asia, have refused to grant the Rothshilds the privilege of running a pipe line oum wells directly with the vessels at the wharves, on the ground that the pipe sysem would work injury to small traders. THE Italian Chamber of Deputies, on the 22d, by a vote of 175 to 32, passed a bill

to authorize a defense credit of 145,000,000 the plans, will cost \$5,000.

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

ton's Inauguration. Pursuant to call, the commissioners of the State of Missouri to the centennial celebration of the inauguration of George States, to be held in the City of New York

on April 39, 1889, met in St. Louis, a few days ago. Among those present were Colonel D. H. Armstrong, Governor E. O. Stanard, General D. M. Frest, Henry C. Kumph, Benjamin B. Teusman and Rufus E. Anderson, Colonel Armstrong was unanimously elected chairman; Hon. E. O. Stanard, vice-chairman, and Colonel R. E. Anderson, secretary of the commis-

After a full exchange of views as to the City of New York, the chairman was instructed to communicate at once with Governor Morchouse advising the first three years in the English navy, and vising him that in the opinion of the comdissioners, the State, to make a creditable showing, should have a military repreentation of not less than 100 well-drilled men, and to request him to recommend in his usual message to the Legislature at its next session an appropriation of not less than \$10,000, to be expended in making a creditable showing on the part of our great State.

The chairman was further instructed to correspond with the secretary of the New York committee and ascertain definitely as to what part the respective State delegations would be expected to take in the ceremonies, and what position would be

It was resolved that the commission adjourn to meet at Jefferson City on January

Miscellaneous Items. Captain Comiskey, the St. Louis Browns great general, met President Von der Ahe by appointment a few days ago, and placed his name to a contract to command the Browns for the season of 1889. He is the first of the champions to sign, The Live Stock Journal and Reporter is the name of a new daily paper which will make its appearance at St. Joseph, Jan-

The Episcopal parish of the Holy Trinity, in St. Joseph, Rev. George E. Gard-ner, rector, is to erect at once a \$15,000 house of worship on the site of the pres which was established about a year ago, ent building. The parish was only orwas burned on the 21st. Loss, \$25,000; ganized about three years ago, and its

growth has been phenomenal.

Detectives Baldwin and Larver, of the Kansas City force, returned a few days ago from Louisburg, Kas., with John Brooks, an aged and crippled horse-thief, who was captured after a chase of fiftyix miles. He served a term for horsestealing several years ago, and at that time gave his age as eighty. He now says maker, the millionaire merchant of Philahe is seventy-eight years old. He stole the rig belonging to Dr. Tyree and got to

Louisburg before being captured. Hon. Meyer Friede, late Charity Commissioner of St. Louis died 7 for aven. ings since at ms ...stdenee, in that city, of , heart failure, after an illness of ten days. He was born September 6 1821, at Schenkreceived his education at the Samson school at Wolfenbuettel, celebrated for its

bravery. The name of the post-office at Crites.

inore. Colonel R. T. Van Horn, of Kansas City has been in Washington recently and secured quarters for the Tippe canoe Club of Kansas City. Fifty members have signi fied their intention of going to the inaugu-

ployed at the carpet store of Trorlicht & Duncker, St. Louis, fell through the elevator hole from the third floor to the basement, a few days ago, and received inju-

ies that are likely to prove fatal. Walter Williams, president of the Misouri Press Association, has issued a oul for a meeting of the executive committee of the association at Jefferson City, Thesday, January 8, 1889. At this meeting some matters of great interest to the fraernity will be discussed, and the time and place of the next meeting of the asso-

dation determined upon.

Mr. F. A. Kowalski, for more that twenty years a compositor on the Mis-sonri Republican and afterwards on the Republic, died a few days since of dropsy The State Insurance Department has received letters of inquiry regarding the People's Mutual Live-Stock Society of Chicago, which is soliciting business it lifferent parts of the State. The superintendent says there is no such company icensed to do business in the State, and he fails to find any record of such a com-

Lowell (Mass.) Base-Rall Club has signed with the St. Louis Browns. He will probably play center field. A mad dog came near playing havee in St. Louis, a few days ago. The animal an up a stairway and bit at every one that it came in contact with. Office Burke was called in, who shot and killed

pany in the insurance report of Himois

Manager James A. Cudworth of the

the animal, but not before it had made an Photographic apparatus has been sent om the observatory in Washington to Washington University in St. Louis for the purpose of taking views of the total eclipse of the sun on January 1. The in-strument has a six-inch camera, and is supported by an iron column weighing 600 pounds. It is the same used by the

United States party in New Zealand at the transit of Venus.

A very curious relic of the late war is in the possession of Mr. C. H. Cogreshall, liquidating clerk in the office of the colector of enstems at St. Louis. It is constructed of an exploded bomb-shell nicked up on the field of buttle at Gettysburg. and bears the date of the engagement stamped on its iron side. The shell forms the bowl of a lamp and through the fuse hole the wick extends, while for its base it has a curiously-wrought design of iron. The lamp is not a success as an illuminating agency, but for its historic worth its owner prizes it very highly.

The new State Capitol is completed. Four well-dressed men crowded around Dane Hurley, a brickmaker, in the doorway of the Bank of Commerce in Kansas City a few days ago, and picked his pocket of \$130 and a check for \$100. They were it of sight in a moment later, when Hurley found he had been robbed. The are supposed to be a gang who have gotten away with over \$3,000 in the past three months.

Architects have submitted plans to the Buchanan County Court for a new jail, to cost 880,000. It will accommodate 150 prisoners and will be 63x118 feet. sheriff's residence, which is included in

HAYTIEN AFFAIRS.

Missouri at the Centennial of Washing- The Agent of Legitime's Government to New York Discredits the News of the Recent Affair at Cape Haytien-Besieged by Would-Be Generals in the Haytien

New York, Dec. 22. -General Contreas, agent of Legitime's government here, does not like the latest news from Hayti, and does not believe that Ft. Picoliet, at Cape Haytien, drove off Legitime's fleet. He says that A. W. Lithgow, Haytien Consul at Monte Christo, is a rebel, and that he will be recalled, as he had no business to give the Sagmaw clearance papers for Cape Haytien, Before coming to the Consulate, General Contreas had had an annoying experience. A morning paper had published on Tuesday a state-After a full exchange of views as to the duties devolving upon the commissioners in the light of the circulars received from the dight of the circulars received from the circular received from t was a splendid fighter, having once knocked out the Donnybrook Wonder in six rounds, London prize-ring rules. A Hoboken warrior said he had worked on a ferryboat, and was not afraid of "any coon that stood on two legs." Yesterday morning a crowd of men who had read of the bombardment of Cape Haytien, began average reverse of once in about thirty and on one or two occasions expressed to assemble in front of the Hotel Martin, years. It is the only party that has views on this subject that subwhere General Contreas lives, and clamored for jobs as Generals in the Haytien army. General Contreas explained that he was not in search of recruits. At this explanation, the crowd began to grow obstreperous. One big man said he had me' rom Philadelphia, and he wanted his fare, and not in Haytien money, either. peres of others wanted car-fores from various places, and the noisiest claimant of all announced himself as a bad man

from Hoboken. None of the applicants got any money. General Contreas is confident that the Government gun boats returned to Cape. Haytien on December 7 and annihilated the town. Admiral Gherardi said vesterday that, with good weather, the Galena and the Yantic ought to have reached Port-au-Prince by Wednesday. Powder was put on board the Richmond yester-day, and she is now read y to sail.

Lord & Austin said yesterday that they would not be surprised to see the Hayti en Republic come sailing into New York harbor any day now.

PRACTICAL BENEVOLENCE.

Brief Resume of the Philanthropie Work Parsued by a Possible Member of the Next Administration.

Sr. Lotts, Dec. 22.-A dispatch was sent ut a few days since announcing the probability of the selection by General Harrison for the portfolio of Postmasterdelphia. Mr. Wanamaker is chiefly known in the West by reputation as a sound business man and philanthropist, but a little inquiry on the part of a United Press reing information in regard to the practical application of his benefactions:

This year Mr. Wanamaker has given lengsfeldt, near Cassel, Germany. He \$50,000 toward canceling the Philadelphia Young Men's Christian Association mortgage, and \$20,000 to extinguish the mortgage on the Bethany a conspicuous part in the great fire at sm.000 of his personal fund to build Hamburg in 1838, saving many lives by his and embelish Bethany Sunday-school; built the Jenkintown changl. tier and gave it \$30,000; he gave Carter County, has been changed to Ells. ooo to the Presbyterian Orphanage; \$40,000 to the Presbyterian Hospital; endowed the Bethany College, and for seven years has conducted it out of his private fund, and giving it his personal attention; while on his college roll for gratuitous education there has average of four handred students per annum. Between April 11, 1887, and March 31, 1888, he distributed provata among the salesmen and women of his establishment \$60,000, according to sales made, On April 30 of this year he divided among such of his employes as had been with him for seven years (about 275 persons) over \$11,000, and at the same time set aside \$10,000 as a pension fund for those who might be disabled in his service. In addition to this he has given large sums to

private charities. Mr. Wana maker's charity is distributed by his own hand, in his own person, among the poor in the lanes and by-ways of Philadelphia. Hundreds of deserving unfortunate families have been kept from suffering by the generosity of the millionaire merchant of the "City of Brotherly

STANLEY HEARD FROM.

The Intrepid Explorer Heard From Di-rectly as Late as August 17 Last—Be-liet That Both Stanley and Emin Pasha

LONDON, Dec. 22 .- Advices from Zanzi-"Letters dated Stanley Falls, August 29, have been delivered here by Tippeo Tib's men. They state that a letwas received at Stanley Falls, from Henry M. Stanley, on August 28. Stanley was then at Bonyala, on the Aruwimi, where he had arrived on August 17. He had left Emin Pasha eighty-two days before in perfect health, and provided with plenty of food. Stanley has returned to Bonyala for the loads of stores in charge his rear guard, and intended to leave ten days later to rejoin Emin. He reported all the whites in the expeditio

ealthy, and said the expedition wanted nothing. LONDON, Dec. 22.-The telegram sent by the St. Thomas agent of the West African Telegraph Company, announcing the recipt of information that Stanley and Emin had arrived at Aruwimi, was read in the House of Commons last night, and received by its auditors with most intense interest. The purport of the dispatch more than confirms the news received by way of Zanzibar, and the fact that these dispatches were received on the same day. oming from both sides of Africa, is recarded as not only a singular coincidence, but as an indisputable evidence of Staney's safety. It is now believed by many, as it has all along been believed by a few. that Stanley and Emin are en route to the mouth of the Congo river, and it is expected that the next news will be received om that point.

They Have White Caps.

THUSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 21.-It is now finitely settled that a White-Cap organization infests this city. Within the past to parties here, women as well as men, notifying them that if their conduct is not more proper in the future the lash will be applied. These letters were at first taken a joke, but they have assumed a more serious character of late. The editors of Herald and of the Sanday World have both received letters. A counter organination is going to be formed to offset the White Caps, and to protect law-abiding

THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

fican Opponent Is Forgotten.

three straight reverses since it came classes. Boston Globe, into power at the beginning of this sentury. This is a pretty fair showing for a life of eighty-eight years. The senator tog is Pronounces the Negroes has reverse has lately occurred in the Incapable of self-diovernment. defeat of Mr. Cleveland, and perhaps Probably from the force of habit, the this is interpreted by the blind pro. Republican press hoisted the bloody phots who are asserting that it will shirt immediately upon a declaration never come into power again to mean made by Congressman Ontes, of Alaa drowning party going down for the bassa, the other day, that the only way

third and last time. mentable ignorance of the shistory of however, to observe how quickly the the parties in this and other rep- ensanguined garment was hauled down resentative countries or are in- when that typical Kansas statesman. tended merely as a species of "bluff" John James Ingalis, stepped up to inspired by the bracing morning air of Mr. Oates' side and signified his readiparty triumph. The Democratic party ness to back him up in the statement. is a good swimmer and has never gone. For some, time, Senator, Ingalls has down at all yet, but has simply had an been an advocate of race separation, average reverse of once in about thirty and on one or two occasions expressed lived through the entire history of our jected him to harsh criticism from his country and still survives in its origi- own party associates. Now that the nal vigor.

ism under the powerful prestige of Ingalistalias more freely than he has Washington and John Adams and came heretofore done. He says that he is into power at the beginning of the satisfied the change from slavery to century under Thomas Jefferson res freedom, from subordination to race tained that power and the respect of equality, has complicated instead of the whole people for forty successive simplified the race problem. So far years. But, to show how afterly un- from solving the fatal problem, the forseen is the destiny of any party, the change has added new elements of Whigs in 1840 carried General Harris difficulty and danger. His study of son into the Presidency with a sweep history has convinced him that it is that was as surprising to themselves not possible for two distinct races not as to their amazed and bewildered ad- homogeneous to exist upon terms of Versaries.

performed this feat was only four to the wall. "The black race is not years old. It had no principles and only growing blacker," says Senator made no pretensions to any, save op- Ingalls, "but it is increasing numeriposition to the administration of the cally much more rapidly than the day. Its candidate was seventy years | white race. This is a fact of ominous old and had no especial qualifications or claims for the office. It was simply of the issue." in the whole Whig craze is expressed

in the familiar party lines: Farewell, dear Vats. You're not our man; or in those still sillier ones:

For Tippecance and Tyler, too-Tippecanoand Tyler, too; And with them we'll beat little Van, Van-

Van is a used up mon; And with them we'll bent little Van. But the hollow craze of Whiggery In 1814 the Democracy reunited under James K. Polk, the first "dack horse" in American politics. Once more the

soil issue culminated in the birth of

the Republican party. In these great political changes the mere election returns offer no intelligent basis for determining the fortthat took part was 761,549, as against the combined Whig vote of 736,656. Van Buren had 170 electoral votes out of 294, against four Whig competitors. But only four years, later Harrison's years later the scales tipped back the prophecy that Ethiopia shall again, only to be reversed once more stretch out its hands to God and re-

and then swing back again to Democ-If the reader will examine the history of these times he will see how sensitive is the popular pulse to the tration. Yet, on the whole, the average | Globe, vitality of the Democratic party has remained constant for eighty-eight

years. A more astonishing havoe in election Egures than the Harrison "hard eider," "log cabin" upheaval is seen in the way in which Grant swept the board in 1868 and 1872. In 1868 Horatio Sevmour got but 80 electoral votes out of 317, in thirty-seven States, Grant capturing solid Democratic States right and left. In 1872 the slaughter was still more terrific, and the entire combination of Hendricks, Brown, Greeley, Jenkins and Davis pitted against Grant only secured 63 electoral votes against his 286. The Democracy only got 42 electoral votes this trip; yet, four years later, Samuel J. Tilden had a popular vote of 4,284,885, against need hesitate to say, too, that he had a was fairly elected President of the is understood that he has taken one

United States. The real Democratic sentiment has The real sentiment of the country is as come down with a great crash .- Instrongly Democratic to-day, when democratic Sentinel.

umph in the long run. Democratic party will not revive for of declination do not extend to a place twenty-five, fifty or one hundred years in which he can be the boss of the Harcan be none other than the insincere rison Administration-Chicago Heroid

charlatan, joker or "bluffer." Nosuen Why It Will Live Long After Its Repub- hollow nonsense will ruffle the faith of an intelligent Democrat, nor will it de-A drowning man goes down for the ter the leading lights of the party from third time and then sinks to rise no holding to the temperate and reasonable policy of opposing the over-taxa-The Democratic party has had but tion of the masses for the benefit of the

RACE SEPARATION.

to break the solid South was to elimi-Such prophecies either argue a la- nate the negro vote. It was amusing, election is over, and his opinions can do The party which exerthrew Federal- no injury to the Republican party, Mr. practical equality under the same gov-And curiously enough the party that erament. One or the other must go

significance, and adds to the gravia sort of fright and spasmodic reaction of the people, following the severe panic of 1837, which was supposed to have been brought about by Jewson's warfare upon the Laicett States Bank and Ver Bearing follows: and Van Baren's fidelity to his prede- the truth of it. Yet he is frank enough cessor's policy. About the only logic to say that the Southern whites are sincere in their belief that the negro race is not capable of self-government, and that negro supremacy in those States would result in the degradation and destruction of society and the State. He is corner more of opinion that if the same conditions existed in any State north of the Potomae they would be followed by precisely the same results. The white race would maintain its supremacy

subsided almost as quickly as it came. even though it had to be done by ballot suppression. Therefore, he is all the more convinced of the impossibility of two such distinct races living to-Whig party lifted its head in 1848, and gether on terms of exact equality. He elected Zachary Taylor, after which it is satisfied in his own mind that race vanished forever. From 1852 to 1860 antagonism in the Southern States is a the Democracy held the reins of permanent condition, and that by power, when the long-developing free reason of their superior intelligence, wealth and morality the whites must remain supreme. He, therefore, in the interest of the colored man, advocates a speedy race separation, and the colonizing of the negroes in the West unes of a party. In 1836 the popular India islands, along the lowlands of vote for Van Buren in the 26 States Mexico or some place where the regions and environments would be friendly to the African blood. His idea is to have the negroes colonized ander the protection of the United States: that they would be subjects popular vote nearly doubled, and the of its Government and full sharers of entire Democratic combination got but its citizenship, and that thus they may 60 electoral votes out of the 204. Four yet accomplish their destiny and fulfill

poice. -St. Paul Glabe.

CURRENT COMMENTS. - Mr. Clarkson says it was American flags that elected Harrison. Was merest accidents of political adminis- it not American engles? - Chicago

> - Why doesn't Fire Alarm Foraker put down the Obio "White Caps?" The man who suppressed the rebellion should make short work of those scoundrels. - Chicago Herald. ---No wise man can approve the acts of the Anarchists; but every wise

> man knows that government by the

Republican party in later years has had a tendency to create Anarchists. Louisville Convier-Journal, - Senator Sherman is never more absurd than when he talks of competition among American manufacturers. With trusts, which are born of the thieving tariff, how is competition

possible? - Louisville Courier-Journal. -Mr. Russell Harrison is now on the road, with headquarters at Indian-4.033,950 for Hayes. No honest man apolis. He carries samples of portfolies in his grip which the head of the majority of the electoral college, and house will duplicate when ordered. It

order at Augusta, Me. - Chicago Globe. --- Let the monopolists carry things been at its average pressure since Til- with a high hand now, for the day is den was cheated out of his seat. It not remote when the accursed system has been merely some unforeseen ele- of reciprocal rapine, which enables ment timt decided the issue in the con- them to plunder the country and to test between Garfield and Hancock, buy with a part of their plunder a liand of Cleveland against Harrison, cense to continue their robberies will

given fair expression, as it was eighty- - It is claimed that Mr. Harrison eight years ago, when Jefferson was trapped into giving Mr. Blaine founded the party. Democracy still the State Secretaryship by being made stands for a certain line of principles to believe that he would be satisfied and tendencies in tree government with the mere compliment of the offer which are bound to live and to tri- and decline the appointment. If this be a fact Mr. Harrison does not yet He who flippantly predicts that the know Mr. Blaine. The latter's powers